

of various beverages, including its famous ales and porter, is undoubtedly a handsome one. People who saw it yesterday expressed their admiration of the arrangement of the exhibit.

Myer & Ralston, the mineral water firm, has its exhibit at the end of the east wing, and in an attractive manner all of their well known mineral waters, ginger ale, deep rock, etc., are shown. Schwerfeger & Robb has its fine exhibit of horse gear including Whitman saddles, Kay track harness and other specialties, arranged in an attractive manner.

The Japanese goods establishment, Kinjo, of Pittsburgh, a new exhibitor, has one of the novel exhibits of the fair, and even yesterday there were good sized crowds around the stand. Pretty near everything that the crafty Jan constructs can be found here.

The Wheeling Toy and Awning Company has a creditable show of its manufactures, including tents, awnings, etc.

## SOUTH WING.

Upon entering the south wing the first noticeable object is the fine metal ceiling put in by the Caldwell-Peterson Manufacturing Company, of Wheeling. It attracts attention and comment from all visitors.

The Joseph Bell Stove Company's exhibit is a very attractive and handsome one, and includes a line of the Arlington stoves and ranges. The space of the Bell company is handsomely decorated.

Mrs. A. Golliner, of 30 Eleventh street, has a first class show of toys and fancy goods just at the south wing entrance.

The Wheeling Business College has its usual fine showing of the workings of a model business college. The specimens of penmanship are particularly fine.

E. F. Caldwell & Co's, line of goods exhibited, includes stoves, ranges, floor tiles, mantels, and is arranged in a manner creditable to the firm.

The exhibit of O'Neill, the photographer, was not in place yesterday, but promises to be a very fine one.

The Wheeling Photo & Engraving Company has an exhibit of view photography that is interesting and attractive.

There are two microscope stands, the exhibit being that of M. G. Thompson, of Chicago. The stands are in charge of P. F. Cummins, of Chicago, and Fred Ray, of Boston, and are of great interest to the spectators.

## THE WEST WING.

In the west wing are found the textile exhibits, which this year compare favorably with any past year, and are under charge of Miss Anna Hess. The art department is also in this wing, and is the only one that so far does not approach past exhibitions at the State Fair. It is thought it will be added to today.

The horticultural building this year shows up with the finest exhibits seen at the fair for a number of seasons, the fruit showing being particularly fine, and elicited many expressions of admiration yesterday. This department is in charge of Mr. Charles Schmidt, while Mr. Max Hess, of Wheeling Park, has charge of the exhibit of horticultural beauties from the park. The grapes and pears shown by Washington, Pa., exhibitors are greatly admired, while the specimens of wheat, corn and oats from the Wheeling Park farm are the delight of Col. E. Krieger, of the park. In this building also are shown the exhibits of jellies and home made bread, under the direction of Mrs. N. B. Scott, and the general opinion is that the exhibits are unusually fine. Mr. Henry Season has on exhibition a very fine specimen of the coral, and the fir and gum trees from Wheeling Park are very fine. Mr. Hess is very proud of a hanging basket of flowers and ferns he has on exhibition; it is undoubtedly as fine a specimen and as large as can be seen anywhere.

At Machinery hall yesterday the various exhibits had not all been placed in position, and a comparison with other exhibitions could not be made at that time, but it is assured that the hall will be filled with farm machinery, road vehicles, etc., this morning.

## STATE FAIR NOTES.

The races will start at 1:30 sharp, this afternoon.

The stock exhibits in quality and quantity compare favorably with past years.

All exhibits in the main building, horticultural and machinery halls must be on hand at 8 o'clock this morning.

President Royman, Mr. Paul Royman and others were engaged yesterday afternoon in putting a quantity of gold fish in the aquarium.

An added attraction for Thursday has been secured, in the shape of a wedding to take place in front of the grand stand just before the races. The couple is an elderly one.

The attendants are this year provided with blue caps, with the inscription "Conductor," and like the Columbian guards of the World's Fair are walking cypodolites. Try them.

Manager C. R. Tracy, of the Western Union Telegraph Company, as usual, has opened a branch telegraph office on the grounds, the location being in the main gate building. Messages can be received here and filed for any destination.

The track has been worked over by the heavy roller and sprinkling cart for several days past and is now in record breaking shape for this afternoon's speed events. Mr. Wood Martin, the starter, has arrived and will officiate this afternoon.

Secretary Hook, Superintendents Mondel, Anderson and Handlan and other officials are this year to be found at the secretary's office at the Front street entrance, where information in most any line connected with the fair can be obtained.

Entry Clerk Shrader is stationed near the fountain in the main building. Yesterday a lady with a piece of needle work approached him for the purpose of entering it. Looking at it Shrader remarked, "crocheted shawl." "Knit," replied the lady. Shrader looked up in astonishment, thinking the prevailing slang word had reached the feminine circles, but the serious expression he encountered dispelled the idea, and he caught on.

## TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

Two Horse Races and the Quadruple Parachute Jump.

To-day is Children's Day at the State Fair and the management will do all in its power to make the occasion one memorable the little ones of Wheeling and the surrounding country. It was intended that the quadruple balloon ascension and parachute jump, the greatest of the series, should take place on the concluding day of the fair, but the plans have been changed and the quadruple ascent and jump will take place this afternoon, before the races, which are programmed to start at 1:30 p. m. Professor Hutchinson, M'Neil Ruby Devoan and two dogs will go up in the immense balloon, and one by one will make the parachute drops. This is something that has never been approached in Wheeling and is sure to be

appreciated by the thousands who will attend the fair this afternoon.

The speed programme includes two races as follows:

2:20 trot, purse \$400, five heats: Violator, br. s., J. E. Crawford, Homestead, Pa. Victor, br. s., J. E. Crawford, Steubenville, Ohio.

Lois Anderson, b. m., North Bend Stock Farm, Waynesville, Ohio.

Quay, b. s., James Karr, Wellsville, Ohio. Over Jordan, b. s., J. W. Wadley & Co., Beresford, Pa.

Oliver K. Nance, Buckeye, Dayton, Ohio. Ambassador, br. m., William Wilkins, Mountville, W. Va.

Grassie, b. s., A. A. Bethel, Flushing, Ohio. Whist, g. s., J. W. Kinkaid, Callettsburg, Ky.

2:10 Pace, purse \$400. Goldust, dan m., J. W. Kinkaid, Callettsburg, Ky.

Walter D. b. g., Thomas Prince, Wheeling, W. Va.

McRide, b. s., John Davison, Mountville, W. Va.

Highwayman, s. g., William McLaughlin, Wheeling, W. Va.

Whitely, ch. s., North Bend Stock Farm, Waynesville, Ohio.

Danilo Deane, bay m., J. M. Seale, Lima, Ohio. Angeline, bay m., W. Craig & Son, Calla, Ohio.

Rock Wilkes, s. g., H. U. Beatty, Kearsburg, Ohio.

Dr. Miller, ch. s., G. B. Giltner, Martinsburg, Tenn.

## ABOUT PEOPLE.

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks Abroad.

Mr. C. O. Hall, editor of the Conway Journal, of Conway, Iowa, is in the city, visiting his cousin, Mr. J. M. Warthen, of the Island. Mr. Hall, while visiting friends in Grafton last week, said he attended the county Republican convention and saw more enthusiasm displayed than he had seen in a western convention for many a day. The corn crop in Iowa, says Mr. Hall, will not be more than half a yield on account of the drought.

Yesterday Mr. Frank Gordon, of Washington, D. C., son of Gen. John B. Gordon, United States senator from Georgia, was in the city arranging for the appearance of his father in this city at the Opera House, September 15, when he will deliver his lecture, "The Last Days of the Confederacy." The lecture will no doubt be a success, General Gordon being one of the nation's most eloquent public men, and coming as it does on the heels of his appearance at Pittsburgh during the G. A. R. encampment, will add to the popular interest in it.

H. W. Chaddock, of Grafton, is a McLure arrival.

Edward Middleton, of Charleston, autographed at the McLure.

Lou Swabacker has returned from a business trip to New York.

L. E. Davis, of Grafton, is among yesterday's McLure arrivals.

Mrs. Freeland and children, of Robinson's Mills, are at the Windsor.

A. R. Jacobs, of Clinton, is here for the fair, a guest at the Windsor.

F. D. Callon and wife, of Sistersville, registered at the Windsor yesterday.

H. M. Burnett, of Weston, and A. J. Wilkinson, of Grafton, are at the Windsor.

Mr. W. H. Egerton left at 1:45 yesterday afternoon for Baltimore and other eastern cities.

John L. Hayes, of Mannington, and W. Whitman, of Clarksburg, are among the Behler arrivals.

George W. Crawford, of New Martinsville, was here yesterday and registered at the McLure.

Mr. F. J. Wing, a prominent attorney of Cleveland, is in the city on business with the circuit court.

Miss Louise Mather, of the Boston Conservatory of Music, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ed Harry, in this city.

Z. "Doc" Vinson and Louis Priehard, of Callettsburg, Ky., well known horsemen, are here to take in the state fair.

Mrs. G. E. Smith, who has been visiting her sick father at Morgantown, W. Va., will return to the city to-morrow.

Mrs. Henry Albright, of the East End, is entertaining her cousin, Mrs. Francis Hart, and daughter, Edie, from Cumberland, Md.

C. J. Schultze and wife, of McKee's Rocks, Pa.; John A. Staley and M. J. Connelly, of Pittsburgh, are among the people here for the fair. They registered at the McLure.

J. N. Shackelford and wife, of Glenville; A. J. Simon and wife, of Mannington; D. Powell, of Flemington, and Chris. McCollough, of Mannington, autographed at the Stamm.

The father of Mr. W. W. Irwin, of this city, Mr. Robert Irwin, died at his home at Knoxville, Tenn., last Saturday, aged sixty-eight. Mr. Irwin was at his bedside when he breathed his last.

James Lane, of Mannington; Dr. C. Shriver, of Bethany; D. Abersold, of Proctor; G. W. Casteel and C. R. Ohl, of Williamsport; George B. Thompson, of Stateville; C. A. Snodgrass, of Tariff; C. O. Coast, of Ripley Landing, and B. N. Knight, of Pomeroy, figure on the Behler register.

## IT IS A SURPRISE.

The Second Performance of "Cell 22" Demonstrates that it is a Winner.

Madame Neuville is certainly a clever writer. Her "Cell 22," which had its second production on any stage at the Grand last night, is full of good, genuine wit. It can hardly be called a melodrama, as the title would suggest, and it is not a comedy, as there is a good sprinkling of sensation. Still the comedy predominates. The easiest way to settle this question would be to call it a sensational farce comedy. The plot develops a guardian forcing his ward (an heiress) to become his wife. She leaves her home and finds shelter with the Lynches, a good natured Irish woman and her son, who protect her from the persecutions of her guardian. Madame Neuville, as Bridget Lynch, demonstrates what a true artist is capable of. In "The Boy Tramp" her character is somewhat tragic, and in this she impersonates the old Irish mother with the naturalness of a Harrigan. Augustine, as John Henry Lynch, has a part that gives full scope to his powers as a comedian, and he takes advantage of it, as was proven last night by the continual outbursts from the crowded house. His entrance through the air shaft, disguised as Denis, was a great surprise.

The marriage in the dark is novel and a clever situation. The setting of the home of the Lynches reflects credit on the management. It was a true-to-life Irish kitchen. J. C. Fonten, J. L. Clark and Miss Ella Cameron were the principal support, and each added a share to the success. The rest of the cast was all that could be wished for. The Neuvelles will surely reap a harvest with their new play, and deservedly so. It will be given again to-night and at two performances to-morrow.

Every household should be prepared for emergencies, for how often, "like a thief in the night" croup or whooping cough may compass a dear child without warning and in a few hours place its sweet life in balance by a slender thread. Cough Cure, promptly used, will avert all danger. Delays are dangerous. Sold by Alex. T. Young, John Klari, Wheeling, and Bowie & Co., Bridgeport, Ohio.

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## LOCAL BRIEFINGS.

Matters of Minor Moment in and About the City.

The Grand this evening—"Cell 22."

Opera House this evening—"Our Flat."

Tax receipts from police court in August were \$1,345.85.

The banks of Wheeling will close Thursday afternoon on account of the fair.

This is children's day at the State Fair. The best balloon ascension will be to-day.

The paving of South Jacob street below Thirty-third with brick, is being pushed forward, and will be a great improvement.

A meeting of the council committee on police was called for last evening, but no quorum was obtained and no meeting held.

JACOB GERBER was run in last night by Officer Donavin on a charge of disorderly conduct at Susan Hennagan's house, on the South Side.

At Portland, up the river, last night a pike workman, named Speck, became insulting to fellow workmen, and they beat him up pretty seriously.

The hotels are nearly all in the "full up" condition characteristic of State Fair weeks. The number of "fakers" is said never to have been so large.

MASON RECTOR, a former letter carrier, was taken suddenly ill at the McLure house yesterday, where he is employed, and was taken to his home on Chapline street in a conveyance.

The concert and ball of the Beethoven Singing society, at their hall on Main street, promises to be a big event. The committee having the arrangements in charge met last evening.

A meeting of the ordinance committee of council has been called for this evening to consider the bicycle ordinance, the new telephone right of way, the street car fender ordinance and the ash vault ordinance.

LAST night the Ohio county Democratic senatorial conference held a caucus at the Register office to decide on a candidate to present to the senatorial conference in this city on Thursday. Nothing was done, however.

YESTERDAY Jim Graves, a young son of Samuel R. Graves, the Market street merchant, had his leg amputated. It was injured some time ago and the foot was cut off, but it still troubled him, and necessitated the second operation. Last night he was resting well.

CLERK Hook yesterday admitted to record a deed made September 3 by Noah Zane and wife to Emily J. and John T. Gallagher, an even moiety each, for \$25,000, the lots known as 1101 and 1103, on Main street at the corner of Eleventh, and extending to Water street.

CHARLES L. DAVIS'S FUNERAL.

The Knights Templar Bury Another Brother.

The remains of Charles L. Davis arrived in the city yesterday, accompanied by the stricken family. The funeral services were held in the Second Presbyterian church, and there was a very large attendance of former neighbors and friends. Many of the members of the Young Men's Democratic Club, of which Mr. Davis was once captain, were present. Rev. Dr. W. H. Cooke conducted the solemn services, and the obsequies were under the auspices of Wheeling commandery of Knights Templar. Past Grand Commander Hugh Sterling officiated on behalf of the Knights, and Capt. William H. Travis had command of the line. The pall-bearers were John Zorn, Hugo Loos, Frank McCoy, Stephen Warehouse, August Wiedebusch and Joseph Hall. Meister's band headed the funeral procession.

MARTIN'S FERRY.

Haps and Mishaps in the Thriving City Across the River.

The Y. M. C. A. foot ball team has assumed very definite shape, and the indications are such as to show that the team will be in its usual position as leader of that attractive sport in this section of the country. Twenty men have been selected to work in the team, the most of whom will be recognized as old experienced hands, well versed in the science of the game. They are Mitchell, Smith, Brennan, Arbaugh, Padden, Sweeney, Hopkins, Gjersten, Dobbins, Davis, Brown, Rolston, Arn, Rogers, Makes, Edwards, Watson, Pickens, Craig and Purcell.

Yesterday morning at about 10 o'clock a fire alarm was rung in from box 27, on Hanover street, occasioned by smoke seen issuing from the windows of the Ohio Valley News office. The department responded promptly, but its services were not needed, as a bucket brigade had already accomplished the necessary work. How the fire originated seems to be considerable of a mystery. It was first seen in a smouldering condition among a lot of old papers in the front part of the office.

Rev. William Bogle will preach to the two orders of the American Mechanics at their hall in the Opera block. All lodges of Juniors and Seniors are invited to attend.

Miss Anna Dean leaves this morning for Dayton to resume her work as nurse in the Soldiers' Home hospital, after spending two weeks with friends in this vicinity.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church held a social in the lecture hall last evening in connection with their business meeting.

School opened yesterday with an enrollment of 1,162. The enrollment for the first day of last year was 1,149.

Rev. S. Winters, of New Philadelphia, is shaking hands with old friends and acquaintances of this place.

The delegation which attended the Baptist Association at Flushing returned yesterday afternoon.

Miss Anna Pope, of Woodsfield, is visiting W. T. Dixon, of North Third street.

Henry Warwood, a former resident of this city, is visiting friends in town.

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No. 95 Ohio street, three rooms, \$7.00.

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No. 619 Main street, brick dwelling.

No. 2123 Main street, first floor, three rooms.

No. 128 Thirty-third street, brick, five rooms.

No. 2042 Chapline street, five rooms, \$15.00.

No. 1506 Market street, office rooms.

No. 121 Thirty-third street, five rooms, \$4.00.

No. 905 Main street, twelve rooms and bath.